

## Message Text

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INFO AMEMBASSY CARACAS 9826

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FOLLOWING REPEAT COMDT COGARD DTD 210255Z DEC 77  
SENT INFO DEPT OF STATE DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION DEA DEA EPIC  
COMMCUSTON DEPT OF JUSTIC WHITE HOUSE NMCC INS COMLANTAREA  
USCGC COURAGEOUS COGARD AIRSTA MIAMI CCGDELEVEN NASSAU 21 DEC 77

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CCGDELEVEN PASS TO EPIC EL PASO TX

O TO G-OFP

LAW ENFORCEMENT - SITREP THREE M/V ISLA DE ARUBA

1. SITUATION:

A. CGC COURAGEOUS CONTINUING OVERT SURVEILLANCE SUBJ VSL.

B. 1100R POSIT 25-46N 077-29W C/S 100/10

2. ACTION TAKEN:

A. VSL NAME CORRECTED TO ISLA VICE ISLE

B. CARGO IN WAIST INCLUDES APPROX SIX 55 GAL DRUMS.

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CLOSER INSPECTION REVEALED CANVAS COVER OVER HATCH VICE BUNDLES  
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C. NUMBER ON BOW IS AMMJ 983 VICE PMT 933

D. VESSEL HAILED AT 0950R BY VOICE IN ENGLISH TO ASK WHERE  
VESSEL DEPARTED FROM AND WHERE BOUND. MAN ON DECK CONVERSED  
WITH MAN IN PILOT HOUSE AND ANSWERED IN ENGLISH THAT THEY HAD  
SAILED FROM VENEZUELA AND WERE HEADED FOR VENEZUELA HAVING  
MADE NO PORT CALLS. MAN ALSO STATED THAT THEY WERE LOOKING FOR  
VESSEL NAMED REGINA. EXACT SPELLING UNKNOWN. VESSEL BY SAME

NAME SUBJ OF OLD LOOKOUT.

3. FUTURE PLANS

A. MAINTAIN OVERT SURVEILLANCE

B. COORDINATE WITH ALCON.

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## Message Attributes

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